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# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

District of Massachusetts

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

V.

JAMES R. HART

AMENDED JUDGMENT IN A CRIMINAL CASE

Case Number: 1: 04 CR 10119 - 001 - MEL

USM Number: 25199-038

Kevin Barron

			Defendant's Attorney	Additio	anal documents attached
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pleaded nolo conto					
was found guilty of after a plea of not		: ·			
The defendant is adju	dicated guilty of these offenses:		Ad	lditional Counts - See co	ntinuation page
Title & Section	Nature of Offense			Offense Ended	Count
18 USC § 1343	Wire Fraud			07/23/03	4s
the Sentencing Refor	t is sentenced as provided in page m Act of 1984. been found not guilty on count(s		11 of this jud	gment. The sentence is	imposed pursuant to
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			The Honorable M	orris E. Lasker	
			Senior Judge, U.S	. District Court	
			Name and Title of Judge	107/	

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DEFENDANT: JAMES R. HART  CASE NUMBER: 1: 04 CR 10119 - 001 - MEL	
IMPRISON	IMPRISONMENT  e defendant is hereby committed to the custody of the United States Bureau of Prisons to be imprisoned for a of: time served  e court makes the following recommendations to the Bureau of Prisons:  e defendant is remanded to the custody of the United States Marshal.  e defendant shall surrender to the United States Marshal for this district:  at
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The court makes the following recommendations to the Bureau of	Prisons:
The defendant is remanded to the custody of the United States M	arshal.
The defendant shall surrender to the United States Marshal for the	s district:
at a.m p.m.	on
as notified by the United States Marshal.	
The defendant shall surrender for service of sentence at the institu	ntion designated by the Bureau of Prisons:
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as notified by the Hobatton of Hedral Services Office.	
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I have executed this judgment as follows:	
Defendant delivered on	to
a , with a certified copy	of this judgment.
	UNITED STATES MARSHAL
	DEPUTY UNITED STATES MARSHAL

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DELEMPART.	JAMES R. HART 1: 04 CR 10119		Judgment-	Page 3 of 11  ✓ See continuation page
Upon release from in	nprisonment, the defenda	nt shall be on supervised release for a term of:	24	month(s)

The defendant must report to the probation office in the district to which the defendant is released within 72 hours of release from the custody of the Bureau of Prisons.

The defendant shall not commit another federal, state or local crime.

The defendant shall not unlawfully possess a controlled substance. The defendant shall refrain from any unlawful use of a controlled substance. The defendant shall submit to one drug test within 15 days of release from imprisonment and at least two periodic drug tests thereafter, not to exceed 104 tests per year, as directed by the probation officer.

$\checkmark$	The above drug testing condition is suspended, based on the court's determination that the defendant poses a low risk of future substance abuse. (Check, if applicable.)
$\checkmark$	The defendant shall not possess a firearm, ammunition, destructive device, or any other dangerous weapon. (Check, if applicable.)
<b>V</b>	The defendant shall cooperate in the collection of DNA as directed by the probation officer. (Check, if applicable.)
	The defendant shall register with the state sex offender registration agency in the state where the defendant resides, works, or is a student, as directed by the probation officer. (Check, if applicable.)
	The defendant shall participate in an approved program for domestic violence. (Check, if applicable.)
	If this judgment imposes a fine or restitution, it is a condition of supervised release that the defendant pay in accordance with the

If this judgment imposes a fine or restitution, it is a condition of supervised release that the defendant pay in accordance with the Schedule of Payments sheet of this judgment.

The defendant must comply with the standard conditions that have been adopted by this court as well as with any additional conditions on the attached page.

#### STANDARD CONDITIONS OF SUPERVISION

- 1) the defendant shall not leave the judicial district without the permission of the court or probation officer;
- the defendant shall report to the probation officer and shall submit a truthful and complete written report within the first five days of each month;
- 3) the defendant shall answer truthfully all inquiries by the probation officer and follow the instructions of the probation officer;
- 4) the defendant shall support his or her dependents and meet other family responsibilities;
- 5) the defendant shall work regularly at a lawful occupation, unless excused by the probation officer for schooling, training, or other acceptable reasons;
- 6) the defendant shall notify the probation officer at least ten days prior to any change in residence or employment;
- 7) the defendant shall refrain from excessive use of alcohol and shall not purchase, possess, use, distribute, or administer any controlled substance or any paraphernalia related to any controlled substances, except as prescribed by a physician;
- the defendant shall not frequent places where controlled substances are illegally sold, used, distributed, or administered;
- 9) the defendant shall not associate with any persons engaged in criminal activity and shall not associate with any person convicted of a felony, unless granted permission to do so by the probation officer;
- the defendant shall permit a probation officer to visit him or her at any time at home or elsewhere and shall permit confiscation of any contraband observed in plain view of the probation officer;
- 11) the defendant shall notify the probation officer within seventy-two hours of being arrested or questioned by a law enforcement officer;
- 12) the defendant shall not enter into any agreement to act as an informer or a special agent of a law enforcement agency without the permission of the court; and
- 13) as directed by the probation officer, the defendant shall notify third parties of risks that may be occasioned by the defendant's criminal record or personal history or characteristics and shall permit the probation officer to make such notifications and to confirm the defendant's compliance with such notification requirement.

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# ADDITIONAL ✓ SUPERVISED RELEASE ☐ PROBATION TERMS

The defendant is to pay the balance of the restitution according to a court -ordered repayment schedule. The defendant is to prohibited from incurring new credit charges or opening additional lines of credit without the approval of the Probation Office while any financial obligations remain outstanding. The defendant is to provide the Probation Office access to any requested financial information, which may be shared with the Financial Litigation Unit of the U.S. Attorney's Office.

Continuation of Conditions of Supervised Release Probation

DEFENDANT:

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## **CRIMINAL MONETARY PENALTIES**

The defendant must pay the total criminal monetary penalties under the schedule of payments on Sheet 6.

TOTALS	Assessn \$	s100.00		<u>Fine</u> \$		Restit \$	suction \$564,550.00		
after such	determination				d Judgment in a Cr		ase (AO 245C) will be entered mount listed below.		
If the defer the priority before the	ndant makes a y order or per United States	a partial payment, centage payment is paid.	each payee shall column below. H	receive an app owever, purs	proximately proportion uant to 18 U.S.C. § 3	oned paym 664(i), all	ent, unless specified otherwise in nonfederal victims must be paid		
Name of Paye	<u>e</u>	Tota	ıl Loss*	Re	stitution Ordered		Priority or Percentage		
Richard Allen			\$64,000.00		\$64,000.0	0			
Clifford Kraus	e		\$42,000.00		\$42,000.0	0			
John Chung Li	u		\$77,000.00		\$77,000.0	0			
Seymour Slatk	in	•	\$62,350.00		\$62,350.0	0			
John Hankle			\$48,500.00		\$48,500.0	0			
Angela Lavign	e		\$39,000.00		\$39,000.0	0			
Joseph D'Agos	stini		\$34,500.00		\$34,500.0	0			
							See Continuation Page		
TOTALS		\$	\$579,550.00	\$	\$579,550.0	0_			
The defer	ndant must par day after the d	y interest on resti- late of the judgme		U.S.C. § 361	2(f). All of the payn		fine is paid in full before the ns on Sheet 6 may be subject		
the ir	iterest require	ment is waived for	or the fine	restitu	A Comment of the Comm	ered that:			
Щ шеп	the interest requirement for the fine restitution is modified as follows:								

<sup>\*</sup> Findings for the total amount of losses are required under Chapters 109A, 110, 110A, and 113A of Title 18 for offenses committed on or after September 13, 1994, but before April 23, 1996.

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#### ADDITIONAL RESTITUTION PAYEES

Name of Payee	Total Loss*	Restitution Ordered	Priority or Percentage
Blaise Eckert	\$60,000.00	\$60,000.00	
Thomas Egbers, Jr.	\$37,000.00	\$37,000.00	
David Hood	\$45,000.00	\$45,000.00	
Michael Krueger	\$7,000.00	\$7,000.00	
Michael Schalet	\$61,500.00	\$61,500.00	
John Zabel	\$1,700.00	\$1,700.00	

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### SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS

Ha	aving assessed the defendant's ability to pay, payment of the total criminal monetary penalties are due as follows:
A	Lump sum payment of \$\\$100.00 due immediately, balance due
	not later than, or in accordance C, D, E, or F below; or
В	Payment to begin immediately (may be combined with C, D, or F below); or
С	Payment in equal (e.g., weekly, monthly, quarterly) installments of \$ over a period of (e.g., months or years), to commence (e.g., 30 or 60 days) after the date of this judgment; or
D	Payment in equal (e.g., weekly, monthly, quarterly) installments of \$ over a period of (e.g., months or years), to commence (e.g., 30 or 60 days) after release from imprisonment to a term of supervision; or
E.	Payment during the term of supervised release will commence within (e.g., 30 or 60 days) after release from imprisonment. The court will set the payment plan based on an assessment of the defendant's ability to pay at that time; or
F	Special instructions regarding the payment of criminal monetary penalties:
Un	aless the court has expressly ordered otherwise, if this judgment imposes imprisonment, payment of criminal monetary penalties is due during prisonment. All criminal monetary penalties, except those payments made through the Federal Bureau of Prisons' Inmate Financial sponsibility Program, are made to the clerk of the court.
Re	sponsibility Program, are made to the clerk of the court.
Th	te defendant shall receive credit for all payments previously made toward any criminal monetary penalties imposed.
	Joint and Several  See Continuation Page
	Defendant and Co-Defendant Names and Case Numbers (including defendant number), Total Amount, Joint and Several Amount, and corresponding payee, if appropriate.
	The defendant shall pay the cost of prosecution.
Γ	The defendant shall pay the following court cost(s):
	The defendant shall forfeit the defendant's interest in the following property to the United States:

Payments shall be applied in the following order: (1) assessment, (2) restitution principal, (3) restitution interest, (4) fine principal, (5) fine interest, (6) community restitution, (7) penalties, and (8) costs, including cost of prosecution and court costs.

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DEFENDANT:

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DISTRICT: MASSACHUSETTS

#### STATEMENT OF REASONS

A	¥		The court adopts the presentence investigation report without change.
В		(	The court adopts the presentence investigation report with the following changes.  (Check all that apply and specify court determination, findings, or comments, referencing paragraph numbers in the presentence report, if applicable (Use Section VIII if necessary.)
	1	.]	Chapter Two of the U.S.S.G. Manual determinations by court (including changes to base offense level, or specific offense characteristics):
	2	. 1	Chapter Three of the U.S.S.G. Manual determinations by court (including changes to victim-related adjustments, role in the offense, obstruction of justice, multiple counts, or acceptance of responsibility):
			The court finds obstruction of justice (3c1.1)doesn't apply;2-level increase for aggravating role (3B1.1(c)applied
	3	. 1	Chapter Four of the U.S.S.G. Manual determinations by court (including changes to criminal history category or scores, career offender, or criminal livelihood determinations):
	4	1	Additional Comments or Findings (including comments or factual findings concerning certain information in the presentence report that the Federal Bureau of Prisons may rely on when it makes inmate classification, designation, or programming decisions):
C		٠.	The record establishes no need for a presentence investigation report pursuant to Fed.R.Crim.P. 32.
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c	OUI	RT F	The record establishes no need for a presentence investigation report pursuant to Fed.R.Crim.P. 32.  INDING ON MANDATORY MINIMUM SENTENCE (Check all that apply.)
A	coul	RT F	The record establishes no need for a presentence investigation report pursuant to Fed.R.Crim.P. 32.  INDING ON MANDATORY MINIMUM SENTENCE (Check all that apply.)  No count of conviction carries a mandatory minimum sentence.
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Judgment — Page 9 11 JAMES R. HART DEFENDANT: CASE NUMBER: 1: 04 CR 10119 - 001 - MEL DISTRICT: MASSACHUSETTS STATEMENT OF REASONS ADVISORY GUIDELINE SENTENCING DETERMINATION (Check only one.) . 1 The sentence is within an advisory guideline range that is not greater than 24 months, and the court finds no reason to depart. В The sentence is within an advisory guideline range that is greater than 24 months, and the specific sentence is imposed for these reasons. (Use Section VIII if necessary.) C The court departs from the advisory guideline range for reasons authorized by the sentencing guidelines manual. (Also complete Section V.)  $\mathbf{Z}$ The court imposed a sentence outside the advisory sentencing guideline system. (Also complete Section VI.) DEPARTURES AUTHORIZED BY THE ADVISORY SENTENCING GUIDELINES (If applicable.) V A The sentence imposed departs (Check only one.): below the advisory guideline range above the advisory guideline range B Departure based on (Check all that apply.): 1 Plea Agreement (Check all that apply and check reason(s) below.): 5K1.1 plea agreement based on the defendant's substantial assistance 5K3.1 plea agreement based on Early Disposition or "Fast-track" Program binding plea agreement for departure accepted by the court П plea agreement for departure, which the court finds to be reasonable П plea agreement that states that the government will not oppose a defense departure motion. 2 Motion Not Addressed in a Plea Agreement (Check all that apply and check reason(s) below.): 5K1.1 government motion based on the defendant's substantial assistance 5K3.1 government motion based on Early Disposition or "Fast-track" program government motion for departure defense motion for departure to which the government did not object defense motion for departure to which the government objected 3 Other Other than a plea agreement or motion by the parties for departure (Check reason(s) below.): C Reason(s) for Departure (Check all that apply other than 5K1.1 or 5K3.1.) 4A1.3 Criminal History Inadequacy ☐ 5K2.1 Death 5K2.11 Lesser Harm 5H1.1 Age 5K2.2 Physical Injury 5K2.12 Coercion and Duress 5H1.2 Education and Vocational Skills 5K2.3 Extreme Psychological Injury 5K2.13 Diminished Capacity 5H1.3 Mental and Emotional Condition 5K2.4 Abduction or Unlawful Restraint 5K2.14 Public Welfare 5H1.4 Physical Condition П 5K2.5 Property Damage or Loss П 5K2.16 Voluntary Disclosure of Offense 5H1.5 Employment Record П 5K2.6 Weapon or Dangerous Weapon 5K2.17 High-Capacity, Semiautomatic Weapon 5K2.7 5H1.6 Family Ties and Responsibilities Disruption of Government Function 5K2.18 Violent Street Gang Military Record, Charitable Service, 5H1.11 5K2.8 Extreme Conduct 5K2.20 Aberrant Behavior Good Works 5K2.21 Dismissed and Uncharged Conduct 5K2.9 Criminal Purpose 5K2.0 Aggravating or Mitigating Circumstances 5K2.10 Victim's Conduct 5K2.22 Age or Health of Sex Offenders

> 5K2.23 Discharged Terms of Imprisonment Other guideline basis (e.g., 2B1.1 commentary)

D Explain the facts justifying the departure. (Use Section VIII if necessary.)

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		STATEMENT OF REASONS
VI		OURT DETERMINATION FOR SENTENCE OUTSIDE THE ADVISORY GUIDELINE SYSTEM neck all that apply.)
	A	The sentence imposed is (Check only one.):  ✓ below the advisory guideline range  □ above the advisory guideline range
	В	Sentence imposed pursuant to (Check all that apply.):
		Plea Agreement (Check all that apply and check reason(s) below.):  binding plea agreement for a sentence outside the advisory guideline system accepted by the court  plea agreement for a sentence outside the advisory guideline system, which the court finds to be reasonable  plea agreement that states that the government will not oppose a defense motion to the court to sentence outside the advisory guideline system
		Motion Not Addressed in a Plea Agreement (Check all that apply and check reason(s) below.):  government motion for a sentence outside of the advisory guideline system  defense motion for a sentence outside of the advisory guideline system to which the government did not object defense motion for a sentence outside of the advisory guideline system to which the government objected
		Other  Other than a plea agreement or motion by the parties for a sentence outside of the advisory guideline system (Check reason(s) below.):
	C	Reason(s) for Sentence Outside the Advisory Guideline System (Check all that apply.)
		the nature and circumstances of the offense and the history and characteristics of the defendant pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3553(a)(1)  to reflect the seriousness of the offense, to promote respect for the law, and to provide just punishment for the offense (18 U.S.C. § 3553(a)(2)(A))  to afford adequate deterrence to criminal conduct (18 U.S.C. § 3553(a)(2)(B))  to protect the public from further crimes of the defendant (18 U.S.C. § 3553(a)(2)(C))  to provide the defendant with needed educational or vocational training, medical care, or other correctional treatment in the most effective manner (18 U.S.C. § 3553(a)(2)(D))  to avoid unwarranted sentencing disparities among defendants (18 U.S.C. § 3553(a)(6))  to provide restitution to any victims of the offense (18 U.S.C. § 3553(a)(7))
	D	Explain the facts justifying a sentence outside the advisory guideline system. (UseSection VIII if necessary.)

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DISTRICT:

MASSACHUSETTS

#### STATEMENT OF REASONS

VII	COI	URT:	DET	ERMINA	TIONS OF	RESTITU	TION						•	
	A	П	Res	stitution N	ot Applicabl	e.								
	В	Tota			estitution:	579,550.	00							
	C ·				ered (Check	only one.):		· .						
		1								restitution is not 3663A(c)(3)(A)		use the nu	nber of	
		2		issues of fa	ct and relating	them to the ca	use or amoun	t of the victims'	losses would c	restitution is not	long the sent	encing pro	ess to a degree	
		3	. 🔲 .	For other o	ffenses for whi	ch restitution	is authorized rolongation of	under 18 U.S.C.	§ 3663 and/or process resulting	on the sentencir required by the s ag from the fashi	sentencing gu	iidelines, re	stitution is not	э)(Б).
		4		Restitution	is not ordered	for other reaso	ons. (Explain	.)						
	D		Par	tial restitu	tion is order	ed for these	e reasons (1	18 U.S.C. § 3	553(c)):					
Ш	ADI	DITIC	ONA	L FACTS	JUSTIFY	NG THE	SENTENC	E IN THIS	CASE (If an	oplicable.)				
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			·S	ections I.	II. III. IV. ar	ıd VII of th	e Statemen	it of Reasons	form must b	e completed	in all felor	iv cases.		
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THE COURT: I'm ready to impose sentence now. I ask you to remain standing.

THE DEFENDANT: Yes, sir.

THE COURT: They'll be a certain amount of formal reading just so the record indicates how we arrived at where we arrived.

You stand before me guilty by a plea on the offense of a superseding indictment which includes six counts of wire fraud in violation of 18 United States Code Section 1343. Without going into great detail as to the computation of the guidelines, I think everybody is in agreement that we come out to the guideline of 21, which gives you a credit for accepting responsibility --

MR. BARRON: Your Honor, 19.

THE COURT: What?

MR. BARRON: 19. The government and defense agree that the Offense Level is 19.

THE COURT: Then let me issue my argument for 21. A Base Offense for this is in agreement with the Probation Department. A Base Offense Level of 6, an increase or loss of about 400,000 dollars or 14 points, an increase of 10 or more victims of 2 points, an increase for the use of sophisticated means of 2 points, with an adjusted Offense Level therefore of 24, less an adjustment for acceptance of responsibility of 3,

reaches 21.

Against the defendant is the nature of his offense, the repeated and deliberate defrauding of victims by taking their money knowing that no value would be given to them in exchange for what he received. But in favor of him is his frank admission of the offense and the type of person that he is. I believe that he wishes to do good in the world and is not criminally minded, but nevertheless allowed himself to lapse into criminality by terribly bad judgment and pressure.

The guideline range would be 37 to 46 months, but in accordance with the Probation Department's recommendation and pursuant to the Sentencing Reform Act of 1984 and having considered the sentencing factors enumerated at 18 United States Section 3553(a), it is the judgment of the Court that the defendant, James R. Hart, is hereby sentenced to time served.

The defendant should be placed on supervised release for a period of 2 years, commencing immediately. Within 72 hours, that's 3 days from now, the defendant shall report in person to the United States Probation Office for the District of Massachusetts, and I expect you'll arrange for him to do that.

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It is further ordered that the defendant shall make restitution to the following parties in the amount that's indicated. I'll read the names and amounts without the addresses. Richard Allen, 64,000 dollars, Clifford Krause, 42,000 dollars, John Chung Liu, L-I-U, 77,000 dollars, Seymour Slatkin, 62,350 dollars, John Henkle, 48,500 dollars, Angelo Lavigne, L-A-V-I-G-N-E, 39,000 dollars, Joseph Diverstini, 34,500 dollars, Blaise, that's B-L-A-I-S-E, Eckert, 60,000 dollars, Thomas Egbert, 37,000 dollars, David Hood, 45,000 dollars, Michael Krueger, K-R-U-E-G-E-R, 7,000 dollars, Michael Schalet, S-C-H-A-L-E-T, 61,500 dollars, and John Zable, 1,700 dollars, a total of 564 thousand -- no, 579,550 dollars.

Any payment made that is not payment in full shall be divided proportionately by the parties named. The restitution shall be paid immediately or according to a court-ordered repayment schedule which will be prepared by the Probation Department. Payments shall be made to the Clerk of the United States District Court for transfer to the aforementioned victims.

The defendant shall notify the United States

Attorney for this district within 30 days of any change of mailing or residence address that occurs while any portion of the restitution remains unpaid. Now that's

important because obviously if you make any restitution, it could go on for a long, long time and you have to keep the U.S. Attorney advised of where your residence is. No fine is imposed as it is found that the defendant does not have the financial ability to pay a fine in addition to the restitution.

As to supervised release, while on supervised release the defendant shall comply with all conditions. (1) You shall not commit another offense. (2) drug testing conditions are suspended based on the Court's determination that you pose a low risk of future substance abuse. Next, you shall submit to the collection of a DNA sample as directed by the Probation Office. Next, you shall comply with the standard conditions that have been adopted by the Court, which are described in U.S. Sentencing Guidelines 5(d)(1.3)(c), and will be set forth in detail on the judgment. It is recommended that the defendant pay the balance of the restitution according to a court-ordered repayment schedule, as I've already said.

The defendant is prohibited from incurring new credit charges or opening additional lines of credit without the approval of the Probation Office while any financial obligations remain outstanding, which will be a long time and it will have to be worked out carefully

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with the Probation Department. The defendant is to provide the Probation Office access to any requested financial information, which may be shared with the Financial Litigation Unit of the United States Attorney's Office. Finally, there is a special assessment that the defendant is ordered to pay in the amount of 100 dollars, which shall be due immediately.

Now, I think the defendant has waived his rights to appeal here. Has he?

MR. BOOKBINDER: Correct, your Honor.

THE COURT: Okay. So there's nothing for me to tell him in that regard.

MR. BARRON: Other than maybe we've excepted the right to petition under 2255 for ineffective assistance. I always take that out.

THE COURT: That's true. And if that can be done, I assume you can raise that through counsel.

Now, Mr. Hart, I think you're relatively fortunate to have come out -- I know you've served some time already, of course. There would be no value, it seems to me, in just piling it on. I hope that you can reorganize your life to become again, as you apparently have been in the past, a productive citizen.

Do you have any employment at the present time?

THE DEFENDANT: Just part-time employment,

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sir, with local churches serving in supportive roles.
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                THE COURT: You look as if you're properly
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     dressed today.
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                THE DEFENDANT: Yes, sir.
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                THE COURT: Where are you living?
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                THE DEFENDANT: I'm living in East Walpole and
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     I'm renting a --
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                THE COURT: With a friend or what?
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                THE DEFENDANT: No, it's just a boarding
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     house.
             It was suggested by a local paster.
                MR. BARRON: And I've seen it, your Honor.
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                THE COURT: And is your part-time work enough
     to pay your basic needs now?
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                THE DEFENDANT: Yes, it is.
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                THE COURT: All right. Thank you. I think
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     that's all we need.
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